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## EX-KAISER TOLD THAT GERMANY DOESN'T YEARN FOR HIS RETURN

By FERDINAND C. M. JAHN  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
DOORN (By mail to United Press).—The ex-Kaiser has been told that scarcely anybody in Germany wants the Hohenzollerns back.

Former Minister Helfferich, who is now the leader of the conservative party in Germany, made this clear to him when he visited Doorn castle recently.

Until then Doorn castle had in many respects resembled the castle of the sleeping beauty. The inhabitants and visitors had made it the rule in their conversation with the ex-monarch not to touch any subjects which might hurt the ex-Kaiser's feelings. Therefore Wilhelm still believed that deep rooted in the German nation there still was a longing for his return, although this feeling was not reflected by the papers.

This spell was broken by Helfferich, who told Wilhelm that since his second wedding he hardly had any followers left in Germany and that the nationalist movement, which was growing stronger and stronger in Germany, is in no ways accompanied by a resurrection of a monarchistic feeling in favor of the Hohenzollerns.

Since Helfferich's visit, Wilhelm shows signs of deep depression, although his physical health is perfect.

One Prince Satisfied  
However, at least one of Germany's former reigning princes is glad to have lost his job. That is the Kaiser's son-in-law, the Duke Ernst August of Brunswick.

During his recent visit to Doorn the ruler did not conceal his satisfaction with being rid of his bore-some throne. He really enjoys the privacy of family life. Although the marriage with the Kaiser's only daughter, Victoria Luise, was in the origin not a love-match but a marriage for state reasons, it has turned out a model wedlock. The ducal couple has been married for more than ten years, have five children and is still as happy as a pair of turtle doves.

Unlike most of his colleagues, who with their own hands have cut the fabric of the new world, the Duke of Brunswick has not been a part of the new world. He is still a part of the old world, the world of the Kaiser's reign.

Duke of Cumberland and related to the British royal family, Duke Ernst August still commands a nice round capital, which is based on solid English pounds.

Incidentally, it may be mentioned, the ex-Duke had a sort of premonition of his overthrow when he first came to Brunswick. Visiting the Brunswick castle for the first time, the young Duchess Victoria Luise remarked to her husband that the upholsterings on the furniture in some of the reception rooms were rather worn out and therefore ought to be replaced.

"Never mind," was the Duke's answer, "we are not going to stay here very long, anyhow." That was 1913.

## Texas Rancher Still After Men Who Fleeced Him

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 18.—Frank Norfleet, rancher, whose determination to round up the swindlers who fleeced him out of \$45,000 in Fort Worth four years ago resulted in the conviction of nearly a score of "bunko" artists in Denver last fall, is still on the trail of one lone crook.

Norfleet was in Dallas Monday conferring with police officials and detectives. Of the six men who "tricked" him for a fortune, four have been convicted, one acquitted and one is still at large. Norfleet told police he won't quit until the last one is caught.

The quiet, mild-mannered Texan followed the gang of swindlers half way around the world before they were brought to justice.

He is responsible for the arrest of 60 alleged fake brokers in the past few years, according to police.

Extreme accuracy is claimed for his new shears for cutting fabrics in which only the upper blade moves, the back of the lower one being rested on a table to steady it.

## Blame U. S. for British Boxing Decline

By HENRY L. FARRELL  
(United Press Sports Editor)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—British sport writers are blaming American promoters and fighters for the rather low estate into which English and European boxing has descended.

It is frankly admitted on the other side that England has very little to boast of since the demise of Jimmy Wilde as the world's flyweight champion.

Comment printed in London on the outcome of the Dundee-Criqui featherweight championship fight was rather surprising to fight fans on this side.

Inasmuch as Criqui was virtually black-jacked into the Dundee match before he had been able to make any capital out of his victory over Johnny Kilbane and before he had an opportunity to show France what the first world's champion looked like, it was thought that some objection would be voiced.

The result of the fight, however, was accepted with complacency.

"Dundee's victory over Criqui," Sporting Life (London) said, "merely emphasizes the poor quality of our own featherweights. True, Joe Fox, the British champion, was far superior in the science of boxing than the Frenchman when they met fourteen months ago, but the fact remains that he fell a victim to Criqui's deadly right and was beaten in the twelfth round. There is no one here to beat Criqui and yet Dundee was able to dispose of the Frenchman in the same manner but champion would outclass a second-rater."

Tex Rickard is held responsible for the decline in British boxing, in the opinion of several writers. They point out that in offering such huge purses he increased the avarice of European boxers as well as American fighters and he brought about conditions whereby all the European boxers refuse to work for nominal purses on the other side, and dash to America for big money.

It is news to Americans to learn from these same writers that Rickard has ruined boxing also in the United States. The London papers told their readers that American fight fans had rebelled against Rickard and the other

big promoters and were refusing to pay big prices for tickets.

Rickard will thrive on all the rebellion that has been raised against him.

The fans on the other side would have a different idea of the rebellion if they could see the list of receipts of the big fights staged here this summer.

Some precedent may have been established by legal action taken recently in London by an owner against a jockey for damages resulting from a fall in which the horse was killed.

Charging the negligent riding of Michael Beary caused the death of a racing mare, Ironore, at the Kempton race meeting in May, H. J. Boam, the owner, brought suit for damages and he was given a judgement of 315 pounds.

## Texas Is 8th In Cotton Spindles Should Be First

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 18.—Texas is now eighth among the fourteen Southern states in the number of cotton spindles, according to Burt C. Blanton, manager of the Industrial Department of the Texas Chamber of Commerce.

In the number of spinning looms, Texas is seventh.

Blanton based his figures on the results of a statewide survey.

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## POLICE SEARCH FOR HOUSTON BURGLARS

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 18.—Police today searched for two men who last night entered the room of J. H. Collins and William Metcalf, in a downtown hotel, and after knocking the men unconscious, bound them with sheets, ransacked the room and escaped.

Metcalf told police the men entered his room as he and Collins were preparing to retire and after a few minutes' conversation attacked them with pop bottles. Beaten to the floor their bodies were trussed up with sheet ropes while the intruders lustily ransacked the room, he said. A small quantity of clothing was taken.

JUDGE IS ONE HUNDRED PER CENT HUNTER

FORTWORTH, Texas, Sept. 19.—Judge Hal Lattimore of the 96th district court boasts the title of champion in the dove hunting class at the court house. The Judge went out with five shells in his shotgun and returned with five doves. He says he didn't miss a shot or make a double.

Made in several forms, an insect trap has been invented that attracts its victims with an electric lamp, which kills them by its heat and drops their remains into a receptacle.

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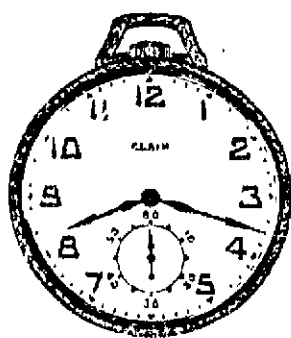
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TEAGUE T. & B. V. SHOPS BEING REPAIRED RAPIDLY

TEAGUE, Texas, Sept. 10.—Damage suffered in the recent fire by the machine shops of the Trinity & Brazos Valley Railway Company at Teague, is rapidly being repaired, and considerably improved over the old work. One of the damaged brick walls is being replaced with glass, giving additional light and ventilation. The addition on which work had started before the fire, is also being pushed, and will provide nearly fifty per cent more space than the building burned several years ago. Arrangements have also been made for the construction of a coach shop, planing mill, store room department and shop of offices at a later date. At least 100 more men are now being employed than during the average for the past eight years, and sixty cars were "turned out" of the car department during August.

GOOD ROADS MEETING HELD TUESDAY NIGHT

(Wortham Journal) The meeting held at the Tabernacle Tuesday night to discuss good roads and the proposed county wide bond issue for Freestone county was attended by a good number of people. And it is announced that another meeting will be held at the tabernacle next Monday night and everybody has an urgent invitation to attend. Among the visitors in attendance Tuesday night were Rev. Tyie, John F. Wallace, Tilden Childs, John Riley and Davis Thompson of Teague, J. I. Riddle, Phil Karner, R. D. Morgan and J. H. Cason of Mexia, and H. B. Steward of Fairfield.

An Austrian singer is the inventor of a breath recording machine to help teach orator, actors and singers to speak correctly with a minimum of effort.

Chased Cotton Thief Across Three Counties

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Sept. 10.—Tom Green has earned the title of Marathon thief catcher of this vicinity following his pursuit and capture of three men thru three counties after they had stolen several hundred pounds of his cotton. Green and Claude De Busk who lives on the former's farm, pursued the three men to a point 12 miles north of Jackboro where they were arrested. De Busk was awakened early one morning by the noise of an automobile exhaust. Looking out, he saw two automobiles being filled with the day's pickings of cotton which he had left in a wagon on the road. By the time he reached his wagon the men had fled with the cotton. De Busk notified Green and the two started the chase which ended in the arrest of the two men.

Denton Man Has Freak Peach Tree

DENTON, Texas, Sept. 10.—Wiley Pockrus, of Denton, has a strange fruit tree which has been bearing three crops of peaches annually for the past seven years. The first crop matures in July and consists of large peaches of excellent quality. The second crop ripens in August, the peaches being somewhat smaller than the first. In September the tree produces a third crop of small fruits, some tasting like apricots and others more like an almond. The tree is a large one and has not been grafted, according to Pockrus, who can offer no explanation of the tree's peculiarities.

WOMAN GETS PAY FOR JURY SERVICE

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 10.—Tarrant county's first ventrewoman received a check for \$1 for her appearance in district court. Her name is Miss E. M. Feltz, daughter of a wealthy Crowley county rancher.

Sheep Scab In Texas Decreasing

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Sept. 10.—The sheep scab, which for a time threatened to ravage West Texas ranches, is under control in nine counties of this section, reports received here say.

In Tom Green, Schleicher, Sutton, Irion, Sterling, Glasscock, Coke, Nolan and Concho counties the scab has been practically eradicated and within another year this section should be rid of the malady, according to Bob Murchison, former sheep scab inspector, of the State Sanitary Livestock Commission.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE MEETS IN GROESBECK, 1924

The Limestone County Teachers Institute will meet in Groesbeck in 1924 according to information supplied by Mrs. Cora Ferguson, County Superintendent. She stated further that a constructive program is being planned by the executive committee.

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JAZZ MANIA REVUE MAKES BIG HIT AT OPERA HOUSE

Billy Earle's Jazz Mania Revue opened a two week's engagement at the Opera House Monday night, presenting "One of Our Girls." The show was a very funny farce comedy, with plenty of funny situations and dialogues. The chorus was well dressed and well trained, and the scenery was very effective and very pretty and the cast as a whole was very good. The show was above the average and it is a pleasure to have shows of this class in Mexia.

Mr. Billy Earle, owner-manager will be remembered as he played here last season with his "Naughty-Naughty Company," and hopes to renew his acquaintance with his friends he made in this city last season.

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## Mexia To Show Big Moving Pictures Simultaneously with Larger Cities

MANAGER McNEESE OF GRAND THEATRE BRINGS UNIQUE DISTINCTION TO MEXIA

As far as moving pictures are concerned, Mexia will rank with New York, Chicago, Dallas, and other first-run cities, according to an announcement made by H. G. McNeese of the Grand Theatre.

Mr. McNeese has just concluded several months negotiations with the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, producers of Paramount Pictures, whereby those pictures will be shown in Mexia simultaneously with the larger cities of the country.

The Grand will open its season tomorrow with what has been termed the "biggest picture of the year," "Hollywood," a story of movie life in which Thomas Meighan, Jack Holt, Pola Negri, Bebe Daniels, Douglas Fairbanks, Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin, and nearly every other star of note appear.

According to a statement from J. B. Dugger, Dallas manager for Famous Player-Lasky Corporation, this means a "great thing for Mexia." "I wonder if the business men of the town realize what it means for their community to have brand new, honest-to-goodness entertainment?"

"To have first-run pictures, and a first-run house, is the biggest boost a town can have. For this month, Mr. McNeese is playing 'The Cheat,'

"Hollywood," and "Salomy Jane." These pictures have just finished their runs in New York, Boston, Los Angeles, Dallas, and other centers.

"These pictures are advertised in the homes of Mexia, through certain nation-wide magazines. If the theatres were to delay playing the pictures for several months or even weeks most of their patrons would know that it was an 'old' picture," Mr. Dugger said.

"But when the public see these pictures offered in their own theatre, and this is supplemented by the word-of-mouth advertising from visitors to the large cities, the public knows that their town is an 'amusement center.'"

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Mr. McNeese said, "When I considered re-opening the Grand, I decided that I would try to land the biggest and the newest pictures on the market."

"I succeeded and the rest is in the hands of Mexia. If the town wants the unique distinction of giving the same sort of entertainment as the larger cities, they must support the enterprise."

"I think the contract with Paramount gives us a slogan for the farmers and the residents: 'Why go to Waco, Dallas, or Fort Worth? Mexia has it right here.'"

## Milt Good Defense Puts Up Witnesses In Abilene Trial

ABILENE, Texas, Sept. 19.—Defense in the case of Milt Good, on trial for murder of H. L. Roberson, presented witnesses following the closing of the state's case. The Tom Ross jury, which has been out since Friday night, returned a verdict of guilty late last night, assessing his punishment at twenty years for the murder of Roberson.

## Mexia Marine On Manoeuvres

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Marching through the hills of Virginia with the East Coast Expeditionary Force of the U. S. Marine Corps, Russell Nowlin, formerly of Mexia, Texas, is now taking part in a series of manoeuvres, which began August 27 and will not be completed until October 7, when the force returns to its base at Quantico, near here.

Many unusual features are being carried out in connection with the manoeuvres, including visits to the Civil War battlefields at Waynesboro, Winchester and New Market. At the latter place an historic spectacle of the battle of New Market is being presented by the Marines in conjunction with the cadets of the Virginia Military Institute. Football and baseball games, moving pictures, athletic and educational features alternate between military marches and battle practice.

## Seed Receipts In August 50 Per Cent More Than In 1922

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Cotton seed received at mills during August, excluding reshipments, totaled 189,210 tons, compared with 100,470 tons in August last year, the Census Bureau reports. Seed crushed during the month totaled 52,435 tons, as against 51,245 tons last year.

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## LEE OVERSTREET BURIED

At the chapel in the Riddle Undertaking Company's establishment this afternoon at 3:30, funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. T. Reeves, pastor of the First Christian church, for Lee Overstreet. Burial took place immediately afterwards in the local cemetery. Mrs. F. B. Overstreet,

mother of the young man, and his brother H. A. Overstreet of Wynne, Oklahoma arrived Tuesday night for the funeral.

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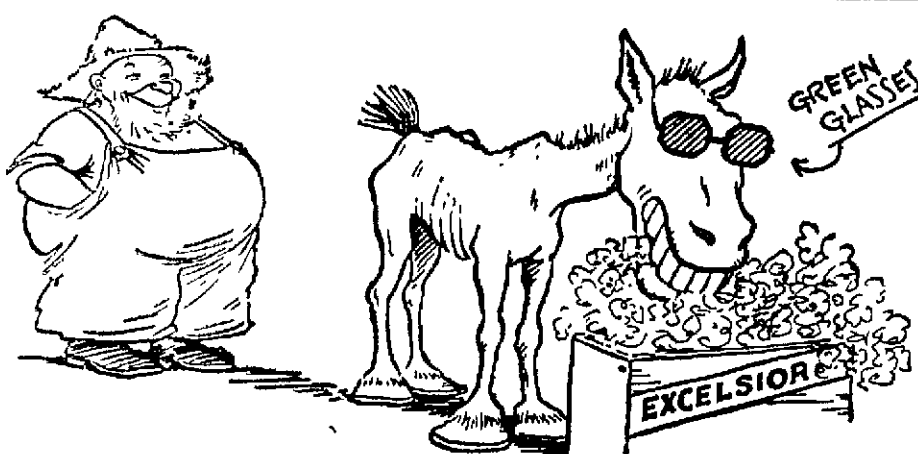
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Application for a writ of habeas corpus, later withdrawn, in the Court of Common Pleas, of South Norwalk, Conn., disclosed the fact that Walter Lewisohn, banker and copper magnate, of New York, has been a patient in the Blythebrook Sanatorium, in Greenwich, since May 22. It was alleged that Lewisohn was lured there on the pretext that his intimate friend, Leonora Hughes, dancing partner of Maurice, had been injured. Later it was shown he had signed a request for voluntary confinement until he recovers from a nervous breakdown. He is shown here with his wife, Mrs. Selma Kraus Lewisohn, with whom he dined with J. D. Elwell, the noted wheat expert, on the night before Elwell was mysteriously shot to death in his apartment, after leaving them at their hotel.

...falling romance in a romantic family has been spiked by the denial in New York, by Mrs. George J. Gould, that she is soon to marry George J. Gould, Jr., her stepson. "We are great friends—that is all," said the widow. All the Goulds have married for love. George Gould married Edith Kingdon, a noted theatrical star, against his father's wishes. Six months after she dropped dead while playing golf with him he married beautiful Guinevere Sinclair and later admitted he was the father of her children. Every one of his sons, including George Jr., who is now divorced, eloped against his wishes.

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their town is an 'amusement center.' "A good bill of entertainment makes a town. The rural population comes to town for diversion and profit. All roads will lead to the town offering the best list of attractions."

Mr. McNeese said, "When I considered re-opening the Grand, I decided that I would try to land the biggest and the newest pictures on the market. I succeeded and the rest is in the hands of Mexia. If the town wants the unique distinction of giving the same sort of entertainment as the larger cities, they must support the enterprise."

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Herein fail not but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand this 11th day of September, A. D., 1934. O. KENNEDY, J. P. Precinct No. 4, Limestone County, Texas.

FOR SALE—House and lot at a bargain. Call 822 N. Red River st. 1734 Pittman building.

FOR SALE—75½ acres of land, nine miles southeast Mexia, about 35 acres hog proof, team and tools, 40 head hogs, a few cows. See E. J. Hitt 1337

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BARGAIN DAY

You'll Be Delighted—With the many attractive lines of merchandise so greatly reduced to be found in our—

Dollar Day Offerings ==Thursday

- Pongee**—Tomorrow we are offering a beautiful grade of 36 inch all silk pongee, a very pretty quality; well worth the original price of \$1.50 at per yard. **\$1**
- Cotton Crepe**—One lot of 36 inch cotton crepe; very pretty for making undergarments. We will reduce this from 50c per yard and place it out as a special for Dollar Day only at **\$1**
- Quilt Linings**—Time to think of quilting. As a special inducement we are offering for Dollar Day one lot of 36 inch quilt linings in an assortment of patterns originally selling at 25c per yard; tomorrow very special at **\$1**
- Summer Unions**—One lot of ladies' summer weight union suits; 50c values; Dollar Day 3 for **\$1**
- Brown Domestic**—A good grade brown domestic, 38-inches wide; reduced and placed on sale Dollar Day at 10 **\$1**
- Outing Flannel**—Winter is coming. Children and grown-ups alike will need warm undergarments. Tomorrow we offer a 27-inch good grade outing flannel in assorted colors, 6 yards **\$1**
- Table Damask**—Do you need a new table cloth? Tomorrow we offer several very pretty pieces of table damask originally selling for 75c per yard at 2 yards for **\$1**
- Hope Domestic**—You know how good Hope domestic is and what it is worth today. Well, tomorrow, just for one day we sell all you want at 6 yards **\$1**
- Fluck Towels**—Huck towels, large size, worth 50c per pair; Dollar Day only **\$1**
- Cretonne**—One lot of extra good cretonne; a very complete range of colors and patterns. Be sure that you see this offering if you are in need of draperies. This lot is our 35c and 50c grades. Tomorrow we place it on sale at 4 yards **\$1**
- French Gingham**—This is a very pretty lot of French gingham; comes in the desired little checks, stripes, and some of the larger plaids. Regularly selling this grade for 50c per yard. Dollar Day very special at 3 yards **\$1**
- 32-Inch Gingham**—One lot of 32 inch gingham, pretty colors, pretty stripes and plaids. Regularly selling at 20c per yd. Dollar Day special at 8 yards **\$1**
- Cotton Checks**—We offer for Dollar Day one lot of Cotton checks for quilting linings at 10 yards for **\$1**
- Shirts and Blouses**—One lot of boys pongee and striped madras shirts and blouses. Mothers, now is the time to supply that boy with all the blouses and shirts that he will need during the school season at a nice little savings. Tomorrow each **\$1**
- Bleached Sheeting**—We are offering this 9-4 bleached sheeting, a good standard grade; worth 60c in any retail store; Dollar Day very special 2 yds **\$1**

EXTRA SPECIAL

\$1

—From 10 a. m. to 11 a. m. we will sell 10 yards of 36-in. bleached domestic for.....

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—Thursday we place a beautiful lot of Boudoir Caps, made of silk and lace and worth \$1.50 on sale at each

Petticoats

—We have several very attractive sateen petticoats in 1.50 grades which we are placing in this Dollar Day Sale at each **\$1**

Window Scrim

—We are offering one lot of inexpensive window scrim which originally sold at 20c per yard for Dollar Day only at 10 yards **\$1**

Terry Cloth

—One lot of terry cloth for draperies. Reduced from \$1.50 per yard. Very special for Dollar Day **\$1**

BLUE SHIRTS

—Men's and boys' blue work shirts; made well and will wear well; worth 75c each, tomorrow, special at 2 for **\$1**

MEN'S SOX

—One big lot of men's sox in all colors; regularly selling at 15c and 20c per pair; as many as you want; 8 for **\$1**

Bloomers

—One lot of black sateen bloomers for school wear; made well and of good material. Regularly selling at 50c each; Dollar Day very special 3 for **\$1**

Men's Shirts

—One lot of men's striped madras shirts; good looking ones at the original price of \$1.50; Thursday very special at each **\$1**

Men's Pongee Shirts

—This lot is with collar attached; made of good grade pongee and just a dandy shirt at the special price of each **\$1**

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A Man, A Woman and Fate

FATE made of the Man a felon, condemned to die a felon's death on the gallows.

FATE made of the woman—despite famous beauty and noble birth a quaking thing cowering before justice.

FATE led her to wed him at midnight in the clemmily cold and ghostly dim prison corridor to avoid the law's penalties.

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By George McManus



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WANTED—Woman, white or colored, to do housework. Good wages, permanent position. Mrs. J. M. Jones, Route 6, Mexia, Telephone 566. 19A1

WHY PAY outrageous prices for carpenter work? Phone 557-J for first class carpenter at reasonable wages. 19A7

#### FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—F

WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor covering, stoves, and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, new and second hand furniture, Phone 56. May 10th.

#### OIL PROPOSITIONS—G

WILL BUY—I will buy Mexia producing royalties, E. L. Smith and J. M. Hughes oil stocks. W. B. Landrum, Hurdleston Hotel, Mexia, Phone 421. 16G7

#### FOR SALE—J

FOR SALE—House and lot at a bargain. Call 532 N. Red River st. 17J4

FOR SALE—Five room house all modern conveniences, 3 blocks of the Post Office. Bargain. See Roy Flynn. Phone 75. 16J7

FOR SALE—75+ acres of land, nine miles southeast Mexia, about 35 acres hog proof, team and tools, 40 head hogs, a few cows. See E. J. Hitt, Pittman building. 14J7

#### HOUSES FOR RENT—K

FOR RENT—Seven room bungalow, modern, gas, water, lights, sewerage, 420 Boye street. Apply H. S. Bowie. 17K1

WANTED—Small furnished house with modern conveniences by Sept. 22, to permanent family of 4. Must be reasonable. Return exchanged. Write O. M. Love News. 19K2

#### ROOMS FURNISHED—L

FOR RENT—Nice clean, cool, house-keeping apartments, all modern conveniences. Lights, gas and water furnished. Summer rates. Gates Apartments, 54 E. Commerce street. 8L30

ACCOUNTING ADVICE and financial service. Accounting problems as well as advice on income tax problems as regular accounts at reasonable rates. E. H. Love, Address Box 201, Station A, Dallas, Texas. 7P17

FOR RENT—De-able two and three room apartments conveniently located, all modern conveniences, lights, gas and water furnished. Reasonable rates. Gates Apartments, 54 E. Commerce street. 8L30

FOR RENT—Three room apartment on Ross Avenue. Double up stairs rooms. See Pittman Building. 17L1

FOR RENT—Desirable 3 room apartment with bath and all modern conveniences. Gas, water, lights, 3 blocks South of Hall, 700 East Hunt, just off McKinney. 17L2

FOR RENT—Large unfurnished rooms, desirable location, rates reasonable. 618 North Ross, or telephone 219-J. 17L3

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment with private bath on one side of duplex house at 731 East Commerce St. Call at 229 East Commerce St. or phone 229. 16L1

FOR RENT—Two newly painted and papered furnished rooms in new garage, modern conveniences. One nice bedroom. Tilwell's Grocery and Market. 18L10

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 2 room front room apartment. All modern conveniences. Reasonable rent. Phone 289-J or 711 East Titus. 18L7

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A new fire box for street cars prints the tickets as coins are dropped in it, so passengers paper tickets and metal tokens and registers the total money received.

### To Bed Grouchy Wake Up Feeling Simply Fine

Wonderful How Calotabs, the De-Nauseated, Calomel Tablet Makes You Feel so Good the Next Morning.

The old-time calomel was the best medicine in the world and the only thing that could straighten out a disordered liver, but it had some serious drawbacks. The gripping and the sickening after-effects made many people afraid to take it. Now you can take calomel without the slightest objection. One Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No taste, no griping, no nausea, no salts. Next morning your liver is clean, your system purified and you are feeling fine—with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please, no danger.

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### Balkan War Scare Again In Sight

PARIS, Sept. 18.—A renewed threat of a Balkan war is seen in the action of Italy appointing General Giardino as virtual military dictator of Fiume following the resignation of the regent. Dispatches from Belgrade said the Italian action has aroused intense suspicion. It is reported that Jugoslavia has mobilized four divisions on the Bulgarian frontier. Jugo-Slav is planning a blockade of Fiume and Bulgaria claims that invasion of Bulgarian territory is threatened.

Automatic telephone exchanges will be established in the near future in two South African cities and it is planned to gradually extend the system throughout the country.

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EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—

345 From cut-off ..... 1:47 p. m.

15 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:44 p. m.

31 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 12:50 p. m.

37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.

17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.

19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.

16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.

32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.

38 Austin San Antonio ..... 12:21 a. m.

18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.

20 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.

North.

No. 8—3:25 p. m.

South.

No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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"LIGHTNIN" IS COMING  
Heralded these many months by playgoers who surrendered to its mingled fun and heart throbs during its record-smashing runs in New York and Chicago, "Lightnin" will be a welcome visitor to the Opera House, Sat., September 29.

The mere announcement that it is one of John Golden's plays would carry strong assurance of its wholesomeness and all 'round merit, but Lightnin has fame that precedes it wherever the English language is spoken and its coming to the more distant cities has been awaited with interest to be compared only with the enthusiasm that attended the early visits of "Ben Hur," "The Old Homestead," "The Music Master," and a few other beloved classics of the stage. Mr. Golden's other successes, "Turn to the Right," "Three Wise Fools," and "Dear Me" are well remembered by local theatregoers and many were also fortunate enough to see "The First Year," "Thank-U," and "The Seventh Heaven," during the past two years in New York and Chicago. No producer has had his name linked with a stronger group of successes.

Winchell Smith, who wrote Lightnin in collaboration with Frank Bacon, staged the production to be seen here and the cast is a special one, headed by Thomas Jefferson, son of the late Joseph Jefferson, and organized for a tour of the important cities, including Detroit, Kansas City, St. Louis, Dallas, Houston, and a few of the "high spots" in the Southwest.

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You can lay the special 3-8 x 1-2 Clear White Oak flooring right over your old floor and get the beauty and modern style which these floors will give to any home.

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THE MEXIA DAILY NEWS

## Fluellen Has Not Yet Been Caught

Complaint was filed in Osborne Kennedy's court late Tuesday charging Claud Fluellen with shooting to death Lee Overstreet, in the Bowie hotel Monday night. Chief of Police A. Thompson states that the landlady at the rooming house told him that when Overstreet was shot that Fluellen threw up his hands, began crying and said that he had shot the wrong man. He hastily left and blood oozed from Groesbeck were put on its trail by Sheriff Whit Popejoy. It was said that he went northwest about a mile, got in a car, came back to town and then took a service car to Thornton, asking about the Houston round train. The officers have not yet apprehended him. They have evidence leading them to believe that he went in another direction from that at which the first information pointed.

Chief Thompson states that Overstreet was waiting in an automobile in front of the Bowie hotel, when he saw impatience and went upstairs to see what was detaining his companions from the humble camp near Groesbeck. An argument was in progress when he reached the top of the stairs. Overstreet was in line with the bullet said to have been fired by Fluellen.

### DAILY NEWS CHOSEN AS BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM

The Mexia Daily News has been chosen as the best advertising medium in this part of the country to carry the big announcement of Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, producers of Paramount Pictures.

Famous Players is known as one of the biggest and most successful in the country. In announcing their fall season, they took newspaper space in 3,000 public places all over the United States to spread their message for better motion pictures. The Mexia Daily News was chosen for this section.

This issue of The News contains the announcement and the unique arrangements with this concern made by H. G. N. Nene of the Grand Theatre.

New business is being opened up in Mexia, as the coming of old ones is an indication of community progress.

With the many large picture houses and theatres in Mexia, this city is assured a place in the spotlight as a prominent center of this section.

An instructive, educational and moral tone always, as will continue to make all corners of an ever expanding territory. Her amusement may have a prominent place in progress.

A voice book of Magnolia Oil, in leather case. Place Magnolia Petroleum Company and receive reward.

WANTED TO BUY—Few thousand good used lumber 2x4, 2x6, 2x8 and some shin lap. J. E. Williamson, Box 551, Mexia. 19E7

## THE TEAR

By SADIE KIRGAN

There came a little tear one time  
To nestle in my eye,  
And yet my world had all been rose  
Without a hurt or sigh.

And so unto the tear I said,  
"Why is it you are here?"  
It answered gently, "I have come  
To make life more sincere."

What a wonderful bird is the pelican.  
His beak holds more than his bellycan.  
He stretches out his neck  
And rakes in about a peck.

But dangled if I see how the hellhe con.

SELL MADISON "BETTER MADE" SHIRTS direct from our factory to wearers. No capital or experience required. Easily sold. Big profits. Write for Free Samples. MADISON MILLS, 508 Broadway, New York.

Miss Selvyne Walters has started her classes in expression at Miss Beeson's the dancing teacher, at 319 East Sumpter street. Phone 619-J. 18-3

## Leonard-Dundee Fight Called Off

By HENRY L. FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Once prosperous and thriving, the fist firm of Leiner and Carrara has been dissolved. The parting of the ways for the two enterprising young business men came in the announcement from promoter Jimmy Johnston that the Leonard-Dundee fight, which he postponed from September 5, to September 28, had been called off for good.

Customers were so few in buying tickets for the ninth meeting between the ring merchants that the contract had to be torn up. Neither one of the business men wanted to work unless there were plenty of customers there. New York apparently has become fed upon championship fights this summer and as another Leonard-Dundee meeting offered no novelty, the customers stayed away.

Johnston said he might match the pair next summer when the customers may have forgotten that the firm has been in business so long.

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A new fare box for street cars prints transfer tickets as coins are dropped into it, separates paper tickets and metal tokens and registers the total money received.

FOR RENT—Two newly painted and papered unfurnished rooms in nice garage, modern conveniences. One nice large bedroom. Tidwell's Grocery and Market. 18L4

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Is Here Tomorrow  
Friday and Saturday

The Grand Theatre re-opens with the biggest picture of the year. First show is Thursday at one o'clock.

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Silk advertisement of Tuesday, their ad should have read

Satin and Charmeuse  
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# September Sale of Drugs and Toiletries

## Thursday — Friday — Saturday

### FACE CREAMS

- 35c Daggett & Rams Cold Cream.....30c
- 60c Pompeian Night Crm.....50c
- 60c Pompeian Day Crm.....50c
- \$1.25 Velvetina Massage.....75c
- \$1.00 Velvetina Vanishing Cream.....75c
- \$1.00 Hylas Freckles Crm.....75c
- 50c Ralls Freckle Crm.....35c
- 35c Luxor Cold Cream in tubes.....25c
- 35c Melba Cold Cream in tubes.....25c
- 75c Howard Buttermilk Cold Cream in tubes.....50c
- 50c Jergens Lotion.....35c
- 50c Hinds Honey and Almond Cream.....40c
- 50c Madame De Monte Massage Cream.....40c
- 50c Lemon and Coco Butter Lotion.....35c

### FACE POWDERS

- 50c Syta Face Powder.....40c
- \$1.50 Dazira Face Pwd.....\$1.00
- 60c Pozzoni Face Pwd.....40c
- 50c Velvetina Face Pwd.....40c
- \$1.00 Egypta Face Pwd.....65c
- 60c Melba Face Powder.....45c
- \$1.25 Mary Garden.....\$1.00
- 60c Java Rice Face Pwd.....50c
- 75c Three Flowers.....65c
- 50c Rikers Cream of Roses Liquid Powder.....35c
- 50c Melliers Rouge.....35c
- 50c Syta Rouge.....25c

### TOILET WATER

- \$1.50 Jergens Toilet W.....\$1.00
- \$1.00 H. B. Toilet W.....75c
- \$1.00 Langlois Toilet W.....75c
- \$1.50 Mary Garden.....\$1.25

### PERFUME

- \$5.00 Hudnut's Madame Du Barry extract in satin lined box.....\$3.75

### RUBBER GOODS

- \$1.50 2-qt. Roxberg Water Bottles.....\$1.00

### BLACK AND WHITE GOODS

- 25c B. and B. Ointment.....20c
- 50c B. and W. Ointment.....10c
- 25c B. and W. Soap.....20c
- 25c B. and W. Face Pwd.....20c
- 25c B. and W. Talcum.....20c
- 25c B-W Peroxide Crm.....20c
- 50c B-W Cold Cream.....40c
- 25c B-W Cleansing Cream in cans.....20c
- 50c B-W Rouge.....40c
- 25c B-W Tooth Paste.....20c

### PATENT MEDICINES

- 50c Aspirinal.....40c
- \$1.10 S. S. S.....95c
- \$1.90 S. S. S.....\$1.75
- 60c Syrup of Figs.....50c
- 60c Papes Diapepsin.....50c

- \$1.25 Hobo Kidney Medicine.....95c
- \$1.20 Admirine.....95c
- 25c Bellans.....20c
- 60c Swamp Root.....50c
- \$1.20 Swamp Root.....95c
- \$1.25 Mother's Friend.....\$1.00
- 65c Nujol.....50c
- \$1.25 Lydia Pinkham Compound.....\$1.00
- 35c Sloans Liniment.....30c
- 70c Sloans Liniment.....60c
- 60c Menho Sulphur.....50c
- \$1.00 Squibbs Mineral Oil.....90c
- 60c Scotts Emulsion.....50c
- \$1.20 Scotts Emulsion.....95c
- 40c Castoria.....35c
- \$1.00 Wine of Cardui.....90c
- \$1.10 Tanlac.....90c
- 30c Phillips Milk of Magnesia.....25c
- 60c Phillips Milk of Magnesia.....50c

- 30c Snow Liniment.....25c
- 35c Wizard Oil.....30c
- 70c Wizard Oil.....60c
- 25c St. Joseph Oil.....20c
- 60c Eucaline.....40c
- 60c Milks Emulsion.....40c
- \$1.20 Milks Emulsion.....95c
- \$1.20 Kings New Discovery.....\$1.00

### MISCELLANEOUS

- 50c Henna San.....40c
- 30c Nelson Hair Dressing.....25c
- 35c J-J Shaving Cream.....30c
- \$1.10 Pyrrhocide.....90c
- 60c Multified Coconut Oil Shampoo.....45c
- \$1.00 Mercolized Wax.....75c
- 30c Sal Hepatica.....25c
- 60c Sal Hepatica.....50c
- 30c Kolynos Tooth Paste.....25c
- 50c Pepsodent Tooth Pst.....40c

- 50c Pebecco Tooth Paste.....40c
- 25c Williams Mosquito Lotion.....20c
- 35c Danderine Hair Tonic.....30c
- 60c Danderine Hair Tonic.....50c
- 30c Packers Tar Soap.....25c
- 25c Laveris.....20c
- 50c Laveris.....40c
- 35c Mennens Shaving Crm.....30c
- 25c Bayers Aspirin, 12.....15c
- 50c Bayers Aspirin, 24.....35c
- \$1.50 Bayers Aspirin, 100.....\$1.00
- 30c Lysol.....25c
- 60c Lysol.....45c
- 30c Listerine.....25c
- 60c Listerine.....50c
- 35c Palm Olive Shaving Cream.....30c
- 30c Lyons Tooth Paste.....25c
- 30c Cuticura Soap.....25c
- 50c Resinol Soap.....25c
- 30c P. D. Co. Germicidal Soap 2%.....25c

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## SOONER LEGISLATORS TO MEET SATURDAY

### Oklahoma Military Court Begins Investigation

#### Grand Dragon Of Klan Is Called To Court

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 19.—The military court is digging deep into law enforcement in the capital county, is indicated, with the calling of the county attorney before the board which is in secret session. N. C. Jewett, grand dragon of the Klan, is scheduled to testify. Armed guards are pacing the corridors keeping the curios away. Legislators are scheduled to meet Saturday in defiance of Governor Walton's statement that he would arrest them.

#### Milt Good Defense Puts Up Witnesses In Abilene Trial

ABILENE, Texas, Sept. 19.—Defense in the case of Milt Good, on trial for murder of H. L. Roberson, presented witnesses following the closing of the state's case. The Tom Ross jury, which has been out since Friday night, returned a verdict of guilty late last night, assessing his punishment at twenty years for the murder of Roberson.

#### YMCA Building Committee To Meet At 11 Thursday

An important meeting of the Board of Directors of the Mexia Young Men's Christian Association has been called to meet in the offices of the E. L. Smith Oil company at 11:00 a. m. Thursday, September 20th.

The following is the official family and board of directors of the Y. M. C. A.

Col. A. E. Humphreys, President.  
Jack Womack, Vice President and Treasurer.  
Dr. David C. Bayless, Vice President.  
Ben F. Stollenwerk, Secretary.  
Board of Directors:  
From Methodist Church: John H. Swett, Blake Smith, Jack Womack.  
From Baptist Church: J. K. Hughes.  
J. W. A. London.  
Gene Sinclair.  
From Central Presbyterian Church: Phil Kerner.  
R. W. Simmons.  
Ben F. Stollenwerk.  
From First Presbyterian Church: W. W. White.  
V. B. Gardner.  
Pr. T. E. Oates.  
From Christian Church: Col. A. E. Humphreys.  
W. B. Kendrick.  
Frank C. Bolton.

As the case is some important business to come before this meeting, all of the directors are urged to be present at the office of the E. L. Smith Oil company.

#### Boston Doctor Sought in Torso Mystery.



Dr. William M. Robb, a well-known Back Bay (Boston) doctor, is being sought by the State Police in connection with the finding of the dismembered torso of a woman in the Merrimack River. Parts of the body were found in two suit cases though the head has never been found. Similar suit cases are reported to have disappeared from the doctor's office, according to District Attorney Reading, of Boston. The body was identified as that of Mrs. Alice Walschendorf, wife of the proprietor of a summer resort at East Bridgewater. The identification was made by another doctor, whom she had asked to perform an illegal operation.

#### HOUSTON POLICE HOURLY EXPECT FLUELLEN'S ARREST

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 19.—Houston police today momentarily expected the arrest of a man believed to be the one who shot and fatally wounded Lee Overstreet, oil field worker, in Mexia, Monday night.

#### Tom Ross Given A Twenty Year Sentence by Jury

ABILENE, Texas, Sept. 19.—Tom Ross, cattleman, was under twenty year sentence today for the slaying of H. L. Roberson at Seminole, Texas, April 1. A jury brought in a verdict of guilty at 9 o'clock here last night after deliberating since Friday night. The jurors assessed Ross' punishment at 20 years imprisonment.

Ross received a sentence of 35 years in his trial at Lubbock for the slaying of N. O. Allison, killed at the same time Roberson met his death.

Milt Good, who was with Ross the night the two men were slain, now is on trial here for the killing of Roberson.

pany promptly at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. In addition to the members of the board of directors any of the other contributors to the Y. M. C. A., especially the larger ones, are invited and urged to attend.

A special invitation is extended to the ministers of the city to attend this conference and their presence is desired.

Special attention is drawn to the statement that this meeting was originally set for 10 a. m. Thursday but as the hour interferes with the meeting now being conducted at the big tent, the hour was changed to 11 o'clock and if there will be a prompt adjournment at the hour indicated, adjournment can be taken by noon.

The President, Colonel A. E. Humphreys, and Dr. Bayless, vice president and chairman of the building committee, being out of the city and unable to attend, have addressed communications to the board which will be submitted at the meeting.

The Building committee is composed of Dr. David C. Bayless, Jesse F. Denning, Geo. C. Prendergast.

#### Extension Of 12 Mile Limit Frowned Upon By Britishers

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Great Britain has delivered a negative reply to the United States' proposal for extension of the twelve mile limit to combat illicit liquor traffic, was announced at the State Department. The note sets forth at length why Great Britain believes the American proposal impracticable. The note is not regarded as a complete rejection of the American proposition, however.

#### NEGROES CRASH INTO DEPUTIES DAMAGING FORD

Deputies John McBay and Ollie Jones, and J. A. Overstreet were en route to Corsicana in a Ford car when they were crashed into by a Dodge in which two negroes were riding. The collision occurred near Currie on the Mexia Corsicana road. The Dodge struck the Ford with heavy force, knocking it over and in the crash several of McBay's teeth were loosened. The latter was also pinned under the turned over Ford. The gas caught on fire and started burning, but was speedily exterminated by shutting off the gas. While Jones and Overstreet were extricating McBay, the negroes made their hasty get away. The car which they drove belonged to the Riley Service Station at Wortham. The officers have a pretty good idea who the negro driver was. It will perhaps later develop that the negroes were driving while drunk. The new Ford was almost a total wreck, it is learned.

#### COACHES DITCHED

TEXARKANA, Texas, Sept. 19.—All the coaches in Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 5 went into the ditch near here yesterday afternoon, seven of them were overturned and two members of the train crew were injured. The wreck was believed caused by spreading rails, due to recent heavy rains. A few passengers received minor injuries.

J. P. Brown, driller in the Mexia oil fields for Trap Shooter Riley, who has been ill for some time was taken from the Commercial Hotel Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in the Riddle ambulance to the Baptist sanitarium at Waco.

#### Property Owners In Mexia Invited To Submit Price Asked For Lot On Which They Would Like Home Built

W. K. Boyd, President of the News Publishing Company and Garland Adair of the Mexia Daily News held a conference with J. K. Hughes Tuesday regarding the Demonstration Home to be built in Mexia.

"We want to have a conference with you about the Home" said the News representatives.

"Well, there's not much to talk about," said Mr. Hughes.

"You use your own ideas. You know the object of this home building project is to see just how much it costs to build now, who is getting the big money, if any, and how much it can be rented for to provide a reasonable return on the investment in more homes in Mexia. We just want to do something for Mexia."

He was advised that there are parties here now who have indicated that they were going to watch the Demonstration Home and they would know then whether to build for themselves.

Mr. Hughes was gratified at this and with many others feels that the proposition he has submitted means the opening of a real home building campaign in Mexia.

"Get busy right away" instructed Mr. Hughes, "Use your own judgment, build the home anywhere you want to and send me the bills. I will meet them promptly." Thus he concluded the conference in his straightforward practical way.

So, here goes.

Mr. Boyd states today that he will be glad to receive written statements from all of owners here who have a lot which they would like to see the demonstration home built upon. The ones submitting their proposition are urged to give all details, location, best price, etc. in the first letter. These will be investigated and compared carefully and a decision reached next Monday. The letters should all be in the hands of W. K. Boyd, President of the News Publishing Company by Saturday at 6:00 p. m.

Every item of expense involved in the Demonstration Home will be published in the News.

Announcement of the next step will be taken as soon as the lot has been chosen, bought and paid for.

The French government uses an aerial patrol to protect travelers and peaceful natives from warlike tribesmen in an area in Africa three times as large as France.

#### Hoover Favors Consolidation Of Railroads

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Readjustment of railroad rates and consolidation of railroads was advanced by Secretary Hoover as essential to cure the farmers' ills. The readjustment of the "entire rate structure" is one of the fundamental needs, is the underlying problem, say railroad experts. Commodity rates are too high compared with those of manufactured goods, he said. If roads could not operate profitably because of lower agricultural rates, consolidation would bring relief, Hoover said.

#### BIG PETROLEUM BREAK CAUSED BY TOO MUCH CRUDE OIL

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Another big break in petroleum trade, seriously upset by over production of crude and the gasoline price war came when the Prairie Oil and Gas Company announced cuts in prices of crude. Mid-continent 33 gravity was cut to 90 cents per barrel and 40 gravity and above to \$1.75.

#### OUT ON BOND

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carey were at liberty on bonds of \$750 each following their arraignment on charges of attacking Dr. Atticus Webb, superintendent of the state anti-saloon league. The couple surrendered yesterday. Webb was severely beaten about a week ago.

Mrs. J. C. Karner left Tuesday afternoon for Dallas where she will be joined by Miss Elizabeth Karner and Miss Eugenia Klotz Wednesday from there they will go to Denton where Miss Klotz and Miss Karner will attend C. I. A. this year.

#### ALIAS "BARON RENFREW" GOES TO HIS RANCH.



"Baron Renfrew" is his alias, but just the same he's the Prince of Wales when he's back home, old thing. And alias "Baron Renfrew," traveling incognito, is shown leaving the liner Empress of France at Quebec, Canada, on his way to his EP Ranch, in Alberta, for a month's rest and recreation. Captain Griffiths commands the liner.

#### Crowds Come From Far And Near To Hear Gospel Preached By Evangelist

"A Round Up in Hell" was the title given by the evangelist to the sermon delivered at the big tent revival Tuesday night by Evangelist Garrison.

It was a stirring gospel message, true to the kind of preaching done in the old days, when a courageous ministry helped blaze the path of civilization in this country.

A great crowd assembled and listened intently to the earnest appeal made to men and women to shun the consequences of a Christless grave by giving their lives to the Lord. At the conclusion, many responded to the appeal to confess their sins and take their place with the Christian organizations of this city.

The singing is a feature that aids in drawing the vast multitudes together each evening. Probably more than 100 are in the choir which Mr. Carroll has built up.

The services this morning were held in the church.

Tonight they will be held in the tent again.

Rev. Garrison Tuesday night announced his subjects throughout the remainder of the week.

Many of those attending the revival come here from many miles distant, as the news of the services spread far and near.

The Y. M. C. A. Building Committee is to meet with the Campaign Committee of directors of the organization Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

This is an important session.

Much delay has been involved in the progress so far and like all movements that are allowed to "Take their time," advance or be retarded by the impulses of the moment and the whims of shifting popular opinion, the Y. M. C. A. cause has been seriously handicapped.

The Y. M. C. A. means a new and worthy institution in Mexia, a civic project that is a necessity under the circumstances.

Mexia citizens have pledged to their young men that the Y. M. C. A. would be built. They must keep faith with the boys.

A \$10,000 lot and a subscription of approximately \$25,000 from Colonel Humphreys for the "Y" are offers that Mexia will not face again. In order to protect this offered investment in a character building institution, the committee will have to act in favor of the new structure.

The Library Building has already been completed and is now occupied.

#### GERMANY PROPOSES

BERLIN, Sept. 19.—Germany proposed, through the Belgian ambassador, to drop passive resistance in the Ruhr under the sole condition that the inhabitants who were expelled shall be returned and those arrested released.

#### MINISTER RETURNS

AUSTIN, Sept. 19.—Rev. J. T. Renfro, Klan lecturer and Baptist minister who disappeared August 22, is en route to his home at Sinton, Texas, according to Ranger headquarters. Renfro was traced to Washington and Philadelphia after he disappeared at San Antonio.

#### NOT GUILTY

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 19.—John Hallum, charged with shooting and killing James Liston, Sr. here in 1917 was found not guilty by a jury late last night. The jury was completed Tuesday morning, evidence was presented during the day and the verdict returned at night.

#### The Weather.

Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy. Cooler tonight.

#### Supreme Court Chief States Legislature Can Meet

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 19.—Long lists of witnesses were going before Governor J. C. Walton's military court of inquiry in the second day of the military's administration of the city and State today.

The investigations got under way today with the threat of sixty-five legislators who are understood to have promised to meet in special session some time before the end of the week. A statement by Summers Hardy, former chief justice of the Oklahoma Supreme Court was said to have been behind the decision of the legislature to defy the Governor's wrath and meet in special session in the face of the military.

National Guardsmen, arms displayed conspicuously, continued their watch over the State Capitol today and strolled through the lobbies of the Huchins hotel, military headquarters.

Long lines of military pass seekers were waiting early today after an all-day rush yesterday.

Scores of witnesses were examined by the military court which held in closed session throughout the day yesterday. No intimation of the evidence collected or the actions of the court within were given out. Witnesses came from the hearing, many with flushed faces, and hurried away in the curious crowds. Others joined the throng in the lobby of the hotel. None would speak of the actions in the investigation room. Officers and guards were also reticent.

The Governor's probe into acts of violence charged against the Klan here with the stamp of approval of the State Federation of Labor, who late yesterday endorsed the executive's action in their State convention, at Henryetta. Simultaneously resolutions were adopted condemning the "concerted effort of a certain organization to establish and set up an invisible government."

Action of the Governor in raising the ban upon the Oklahoma State Fair here late yesterday was the second act of modification of martial law following the reinstatement of police officials to direct the city police under military supervision.

Curfew observation was still enforced. The elements complicated military administration here during the night when a driving hail, rain and wind storm gripped the city. Nearly three inches of rain fell in less than an hour. Damage resulting from hail and wind will run into thousands, it was conservatively estimated today. Cornices of downtown buildings were hurled into the streets during the evening rush. Cars were stalled and lights in the suburban districts were cut off.

Police and guardsmen struggled in the semi-darkness amid flying debris to clear the streets. Army trucks with searchlights burning threaded the darkened streets loaded with guardsmen while the storm was at its height.

C. S. Coyle returned Monday from Corsicana where he had been for two weeks on business.

Miss Glynn Mitchell left Tuesday for the Texas Presbyterian College at Milford.

Judge and Mrs. W. M. White and little grand son, Tracey LaMoigne have returned from a few weeks spent in Cool Colorado.

Funds for this work originated out of the Y. M. C. A. campaign.

Should Mexia hesitate now to put over a project started nearly a year ago, she will help clinch the argument of her enemies that this is a place where promises are freely made and seldom kept.

95 yards of the race have already been covered, let's finish the five remaining yards and let the world know that Mexia is not retrograde.





## EX-KAISER TOLD THAT GERMANY DOESN'T YEARN FOR HIS RETURN

By FERDINAND C. M. JAHN  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
DOORN (By mail to United Press.)  
The ex-Kaiser has been told that scarcely anybody in Germany wants the Hohenzollerns back.

Former Minister Helfferich, who is now the leader of the conservative party in Germany, made this clear to him when he visited Doorn castle recently. Until then Doorn castle had in many respects resembled the castle of the sleeping beauty. The inhabitants and visitors had made it the rule in their conversation with the ex-monarch not to touch any subjects which might hurt the ex-Kaiser's feelings. Therefore Wilhelm still believed that deep rooted in the German nation there still was a longing for his return, although this feeling was not reflected by the papers.

This spell was broken by Helfferich, who told Wilhelm that since his second wedding he hardly had any followers left in Germany and that the nationalist movement, which was growing stronger and stronger in Germany, is in no ways accompanied by a resurrection of a monarchistic feeling in favor of the Hohenzollerns.

Since Helfferich's visit, Wilhelm shows signs of deep depression, although his physical health is perfect.

One Prince Satisfied  
However, at least one of Germany's former reigning princes is glad to have lost his job. That is the Kaiser's son-in-law, the Duke Ernst August of Brunswick.

During his recent visit to Doorn the prince did not conceal his satisfaction with being rid of his hitherto throne. He really enjoys the privacy of family life. Although the marriage with the Kaiser's only daughter, Victoria Luise, was in the origin not a love-match but a marriage for state reasons, it has turned out a model wedlock. The ducal couple has been married for more than ten years, have five children and is still as happy as a pair of turtle doves.

Unlike most of his colleagues, who, with their crown, have lost the great part of their incomes, the loss of the throne hardly affected the Duke's revenues. Being a son of the wealthy

Duke of Cumberland and related to the British royal family, Duke Ernst August still commands a nice round capital, which is based on solid English pounds.

Incidentally, it may be mentioned, the ex-Duke had a sort of premonition of his overthrow when he first came to Brunswick. Visiting the Brunswick castle for the first time, the young Duchess Victoria Luise remarked to her husband that the upholsterings on the furniture in some of the reception rooms were rather worn out and therefore ought to be replaced.

"Never mind," was the Duke's answer, "we are not going to stay here very long, anyhow." That was 1913.

## Texas Rancher Still After Men Who Fleeced Him

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 18.—Frank Norfleet, rancher, whose determination to round up the swindlers who fleeced him out of \$45,000 in Fort Worth four years ago resulted in the conviction of nearly a score of "bunko" artists in Denver last fall, is still on the trail of one lone crook.

Norfleet was in Dallas Monday conferring with police officials and detectives. Of the six men who "trimmed" him for a fortune, four have been convicted, one acquitted and one still at large. Norfleet told police he won't quit until the last one is caught.

The quiet, mild-mannered Texan followed the gang of swindlers half way around the world before they were brought to justice.

He is responsible for the arrest of 69 alleged fake brokers in the past few years, according to police.

Extreme accuracy is claimed for new shears for cutting fabrics in which only the upper blade moves, the back of the lower one being rested on a table to steady it.

## Blame U. S. for British Boxing Decline

By HENRY L. FARRELL  
(United Press Sports Editor)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—British sport writers are blaming American promoters and fighters for the rather low estate into which English and European boxing has descended.

It is frankly admitted on the other side that England has very little to boast of since the demise of Jimmy Wilde as the world's flyweight champion.

Comment printed in London on the outcome of the Dundee-Criqui featherweight championship fight was rather surprising to fight fans on this side.

Inasmuch as Criqui was virtually black-jacked into the Dundee match before he had been able to make any capital out of his victory over Johnny Kilbane and before he had an opportunity to show France what the first world's champion looked like, it was thought that some objection would be voiced.

The result of the fight, however, was accepted with complacency.

"Dundee's victory over Criqui," Sporting Life (London) said, "merely emphasizes the poor quality of our own featherweights. True, Joe Fox, the British champion, was far superior in the science of boxing than the Frenchman when they met fourteen months ago, but the fact remains that he fell a victim to Criqui's deadly right and was beaten in the twelfth round. There is no one here to beat Criqui and yet Dundee was able to dispose of the Frenchman in the same manner our champion would outclass a second-rater."

Tex Rickard is held responsible for the decline in British boxing, in the opinion of several writers. They point out that in offering such huge purses he increased the avarice of European boxers as well as American fighters and he brought about conditions whereby all the European boxers refuse to work for nominal purses on the other side, and dash to America for big money.

It is news to Americans to learn from these same writers that Rickard has ruined boxing also in the United States. The London papers told their readers that American fight fans had rebelled against Rickard and the other

big promoters and were refusing to pay big prices for tickets.

Rickard will thrive on all the rebellion that has been raised against him.

The fans on the other side would have a different idea of the rebellion if they could see the list of receipts of the big fights staged here this summer.

Some precedent may have been established by legal action taken recently in London by an owner against a jockey for damages resulting from a fall in which the horse was killed.

Charging the negligent riding of Michael Beary caused the death of a racing mare, Ironore, at the Kempton race meeting in May, H. J. Boam, the owner, brought suit for damages and he was given a judgement of 315 pounds.

## Texas Is 8th In Cotton Spindles Should Be First

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 18.—Texas is now eighth among the fourteen Southern states in the number of cotton spindles, according to Burt C. Blanton, manager of the Industrial Department of the Texas Chamber of Commerce.

In the number of spinning looms, Texas is seventh.

Blanton based his figures on the results of a statewide survey.

Southern cotton manufacturing is increasing by leaps and bounds, he says.

## POLICE SEARCH FOR HOUSTON BURGLARS

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 18.—Police today searched for two men who last night entered the room of J. H. Collins and William Metcalf, in a downtown hotel, and after knocking the men unconscious, bound them with sheets, ransacked the room and escaped.

Metcalf told police the men entered his room as he and Collins were preparing to retire and after a few minutes' conversation attacked them with pop bottles. Beaten to the floor their bodies were trussed up with sheet ropes while the intruders lustily ransacked the room, he said. A small quantity of clothing was taken.

## JUDGE IS ONE HUNDRED PER CENT HUNTER

FORTWORTH, Texas, Sept. 19.—Judge Hal Latimore of the 96th district court boasts the title of champion in the dove hunting class at the court house. The Judge went out with five shells in his shotgun and returned with five doves. He says he didn't miss a shot or make a double.

Made in several forms, an insect trap has been invented that attracts its victims with an electric lamp, which kills them by its heat and drops their remains into a receptacle.

A scientist has invented an instrument with which he claims to ascertain if a person is telling the truth by watching the retina of one of his eyes.

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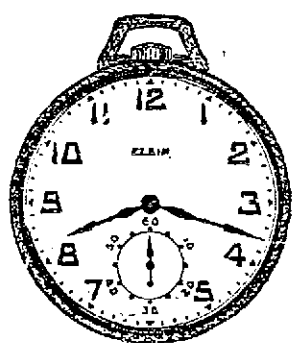
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Special attention given to Diction, Poise, Story Telling, Repertoire Work, and Swedish and Aesthetic Exercises.  
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## Gifts That Last



Good watches, good chains, good charms, good emblem pins, good bar pins, good rings, good pearls, good scarf pins and good belt buckles are just a few of the many items of Gifts That Last.

We have some new attractive patterns in heavy solid silver belt buckles and gold filled and Marsh's heavy solid silver enlaid with 18-k gold belt buckles and belt chains to match.

A visit to our show cases will convince you we have a complete line of everything that is Jewelry.

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Old Jewelry Made New and Old Watches

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## Men Your Fall Clothes Are Here

Not just ordinary common-place clothes, but suits that will meet with the instant approval of all good dressers. Styles that are the best and fabrics of the newest and best materials.

Our prices this season are—

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## The Boston Store

The Postoffice is Across the Street from Us.



## Special Cash Raising Furniture Sale

Complete line of those wonderful New Method and Daltex gas stoves. Special values. We take second hand stoves and furniture in trade.

**Special Sales Prices**

—In Mahogany dining room and bed room suites. See our cooking utensils.

By City Hall  
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By Post Office  
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## SCHOOL Supplies

A big line to choose from and as usual our prices are lower.

Our stock consists of everything needed in the school room.

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## THE PEOPLE'S VARIETY STORE

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Opposite W. A. Jackson Co.



**It's Her Delight**

—Carry her a nice box candy when you go out to see her tonight. Come in and let us help you make your selection from our great line of Boxed Chocolates. Done up in one, two and three pound boxes.

—Then we have a vast assortment of bulk chocolates which are very delicious. Try them.

**Chocolate Shoppe**

L. H. Simpson, Prop.



# TEAGUE T. & B. V. SHOPS BEING REPAIRED RAPIDLY

TEAGUE, Texas, Sept. 19.—Damage suffered in the recent fire by the machine shops of the Trinity & Brazos Valley Railway Company at Teague, is rapidly being repaired, and considerably improved over the old work. One of the damaged brick walls is being replaced with glass, giving additional light and ventilation. The addition on which work had started before the fire, is also being pushed, and will provide nearly fifty per cent more space than the building burned several years ago. Arrangements have also been made for the construction of a coach shop, planing mill, store room department and shop offices at a later date. At least 100 more men are now being employed than during the average for the past eight years, and sixty cars were "turned out" of the car department during August.

## GOOD ROADS MEETING HELD TUESDAY NIGHT

(Wortham Journal)  
The meeting held at the Tabernacle Tuesday night to discuss good roads and the proposed county wide bond issue for Freestone county was attended by a good number of people. And it is announced that another meeting will be held at the tabernacle next Monday night and everybody has an urgent invitation to attend. Among the visitors in attendance Tuesday night were Rev. Tyre, John F. Wallace Elden Childs, John Riley and Dixie Thompson of Teague; J. I. Riddle, Phil Karner, R. D. Morgan and J. H. Cason of Mexia; and H. B. Steward of Fairfield.

An Austrian singer is the inventor of a breath recording machine to help teach orators, actors and singers to speak correctly with a minimum of effort.

# Chased Cotton Thief Across Three Counties

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Sept. 19.—Tom Green has earned the title of Marathon thief catcher of this vicinity following his pursuit and capture of three men thru three counties after they had stolen several hundred pounds of his cotton.  
Green and Claude De Busk who lives on the former's farm, pursued the three men to a point 12 miles north of Jacksboro where they were arrested. De Busk was awakened early one morning by the noise of an automobile exhaust. Looking out, he saw two automobiles being filled with the day's pickings of cotton which he had left in a wagon on the road. By the time he reached his wagon the men had fled with the cotton. De Busk notified Green and the two started the chase which ended in the arrest of the two men.

# Denton Man Has Freak Peach Tree

DENTON, Texas, Sept. 19.—Wiley Pockrus, of Denton, has a strange fruit tree which has been bearing three crops of peaches annually for the past seven years. The first crop matures in July and consists of large peaches of excellent quality. The second crop ripens in August, the peaches being somewhat smaller than the first. In September the tree produces a third crop of small fruits, some tasting like apricots and others more like an almond. The tree is a large one and has not been grafted, according to Pockrus, who can offer no explanation of the tree's peculiarities.

## WOMAN GETS PAY FOR JURY SERVICE

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 19.—Tarrant county's first venirewoman received a check for \$1 for her appearance in district court. Her name is Miss E. M. Feltz, daughter of a wealthy Crowley county rancher.

# Sheep Scab In Texas Decreasing

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Sept. 19.—The sheep scab, which for a time threatened to ravage West Texas ranches, is under control in nine counties of this section, reports received here say.  
In Tom Green, Schleicher, Sutton, Irion, Sterling, Glasscock, Coke, Nolan and Concho counties the scab has been practically eradicated and within another year this section should be rid of the malady, according to Bob Murchison, former sheep scab inspector, of the State Sanitary Livestock Commission.

## TEACHERS INSTITUTE MEETS IN GROESBECK, 1924

The Limestone County Teachers Institute will meet in Groesbeck in 1924 according to information supplied by Mrs. Cora Ferguson, County Superintendent. She stated further that a constructive program is being planned by the executive committee.

FOR RENT—Two large rooms for rent for gentlemen only. 600 East Palestine street. Phone 679-J. 19L2

## SURE IT DOES GOOD

Thedford's Black-Draught Liver Medicine (Vegetable) Praised by the Head of a Louisiana Family.

Lake Charles, La.—"I don't know what we would have done had we not had Black-Draught. It sure is one of the best medicines made, and am sure the best liver medicine," said Mr. Henry Garrett, of this city.

"My whole family uses it," continued Mr. Garrett. "My wife says she believes she kept off the 'flu' by taking doses of Black-Draught regularly."

"I, myself, use Black-Draught for indigestion, and it is fine."

"We used pills and tablets and other laxatives, but they never seemed to do us good, but the Black-Draught sure has, and it has come to our house to stay. We give it to our daughter for headache and torpid liver."

"I am glad to recommend anything that has been the help to my family that Black-Draught has."

"My present health is good. Have two boxes of Black-Draught in the house now."

If your liver gets out of fix, take Black-Draught. It will help to drive the bile poisons and other unwholesome matters out of your system.

Sold everywhere, NC-148

## JAZZ MANIA REVUE MAKES BIG HIT AT OPERA HOUSE

Billy Earle's Jazz Mania Revue opened a two week's engagement at the Opera House Monday night, presenting "One of Our Girls." The show was a very funny farce comedy, with plenty of funny situations and dialogues. The chorus was well dressed and well trained, and the scenery was very effective and very pretty and the cast as a whole was very good. The show was above the average and it is a pleasure to have shows of this class in Mexia.

Mr. Billy Earle, owner-manager will be remembered as he played here last season with his "Naughty-Naughty Company," and hopes to renew his acquaintance with his friends here in this city last season.

Mr. Earle, during his engagement will present only the highest class plays with a complete change every night, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

Manager Bevering of the Opera

## On Sale Thursday

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October Magazines

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Front of Mexia Drg. Store

House personally recommends this show as being the best musical show that he has had the pleasure of playing in some time.

John Rosenfield, Jr., representative of the Famous Players-Lasky Corp., of New York, producers of Paramount Pictures, is in Mexia to attend the re-opening of the Grand Theatre, Thursday.

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## You Cannot Deny The Quality of our Candy

—The firm name speaks for itself, and even then if you were at all skeptical a test by taste would prove to you undeniably that the quality we claim really existed, and then some. Candy couldn't possibly be nicer, and it never will be nicer than these fine confections by the famous houses of King and Whitman. All size boxes, some plain, some fancy for gift purposes.

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## Twenty Years Real Bench Experience

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You want a Competent Auto Electrician to repair the generator, distributor, starting motor, or lights when there's trouble—therefore be sure to call on us, for we offer service that is prompt and precise.

No experimenting at your expense. A real shop with A-1 mechanics.

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Our tubs are sterilized after each bath.

When in Corsicana visit Hitt-Humphreys Barber Shop.  
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"A good bill of entertainment 'makes' a town. The rural population comes to town for diversion and profit. All roads will lead to the town offering the best list of attractions."

Mr. McNeese said, "When I considered re-opening the Grand, I decided that I would try to land the biggest and the newest pictures on the market."

"I succeeded and the rest is in the hands of Mexia. If the town wants the unique distinction of giving the same sort of entertainment as the larger cities, they must support the enterprise."

"I think the contract with Paramount gives us a slogan for the farmers and the residents: 'Why not to Waco, Dallas, or Fort Worth? Mexia has it right here.'"

## Milt Good Defense Puts Up Witnesses In Abilene Trial

ABILENE, Texas, Sept. 19.—Defense in the case of Milt Good, on trial for murder of H. L. Roberson, presented witnesses following the closing of the state's case. The Tom Ross jury, which has been out since Friday night, returned a verdict of guilty late last night, assessing his punishment at twenty years for the murder of Roberson.

## Mexia Marine On Manoeuvres

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Marching through the hills of Virginia with the East Coast Expeditionary Force of the U. S. Marine Corps, Russell Nowlin, formerly of Mexia, Texas, is now taking part in a series of maneuvers, which began August 27 and will not be completed until October 7, when the force returns to its base at Quantico, near here.

Many unusual features are being carried out in connection with the maneuvers, including visits to the Civil War battlefields at Waynesboro, Winchester and New Market. At the latter place an historic spectacle of the battle of New Market is being presented by the Marines in conjunction with the cadets of the Virginia Military Institute. Football and baseball games, moving pictures, athletic and educational features alternate between military marches and battle practice.

## Seed Receipts In August 50 Per Cent More Than In 1922

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Cotton seed received at mills during August, excluding reshipments, totaled 159,210 tons, compared with 100,470 tons in August last year, the Census Bureau reports. Seed crushed during the month totaled 52,436 tons, as against 51,245 tons last year.

To enable a farmer to learn how many plants of any kind he can place in a field the dimensions of which he knows is the purpose of a new calculating device.

## LEE OVERSTREET BURIED

At the chapel in the Riddle Undertaking Company's establishment this afternoon at 3:30, funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. T. Reaves, pastor of the First Christian church, for Lee Overstreet. Burial took place immediately afterwards in the local cemetery. Mrs. F. B. Overstreet, mother of the young man, and his brother H. A. Overstreet of Wynnewood, Oklahoma arrived Tuesday night for the funeral.

At the end of June the world's merchant marine has increased 1,128,000 gross tons in a year, 63 per cent of the gain being represented by German shipping.

## Tonight OPERA HOUSE

## Billy Earle's Jazz Mania-Revue

AN ATTRACTION OF MERIT with The Million Dollar Beauty Chorus

LILLIAN COLSON, 90 H. P. Soubrette  
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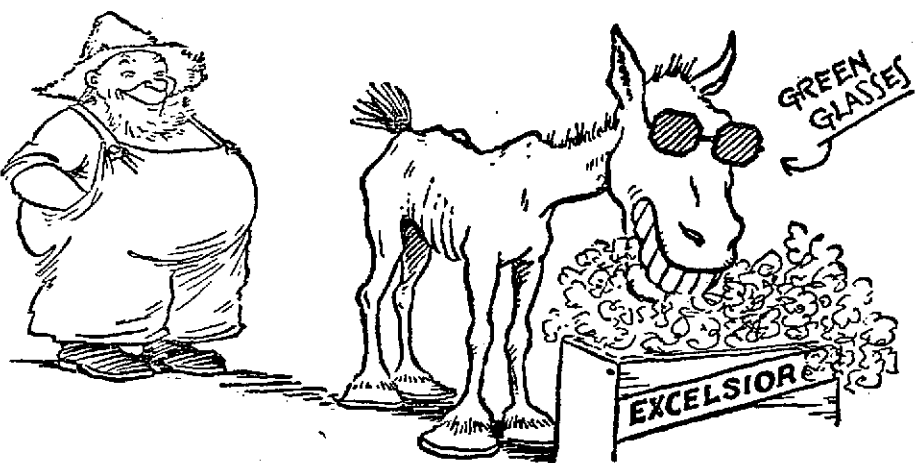
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## —And Then the Horse Died

ALL the colored spectacles in the world couldn't turn excelsior into good horse feed.

No, and no matter what rosy promises you look through when you're buying valve cups, you won't find the Darcova quality in any cups except those that have the Darcova label.

Don't put in imitations of the genuine Darcova Valve Cups and expect the same steady flow of oil. Darcova Cups have shown their value for fifteen years, getting the oil out of the big wells. Darcova Valve Cups were the first composition cups in the field.

They are made of tested materials put together for long wear. They'll give you real service.

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## Price Reduced

Effective September 1st, Chevrolet Motor Co. announced the following prices:

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| Superior Roadster             | \$490 |
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| Superior Utility Coupe        | \$640 |
| Superior Sedan                | \$795 |
| Superior Commercial Chassis   | \$395 |
| Superior Light Delivery       | \$495 |
| Utility Express Truck Chassis | \$550 |

All Prices F. O. B. Flint, Michigan

## QUALITY CARS AT QUANTITY PRICES

These very low prices are made possible through large volume production and are in conformity with our fixed policy of providing the utmost per dollar value in economical transportation





**LEWISOHN, SYLUM, CRIES 'SANE'. Mrs. G. J. Gould, Sr., Not to Marry Stepson**

Application for a writ of habeas corpus, later withdrawn, in the Court of Common Pleas, of South Norwalk, Conn., disclosed the fact that Walter Lewisohn, banker and copper magnate, of New York, has been a patient in the Blythwood Sanitarium, in Greenwich, since May 22. It was alleged that Lewisohn was lured there on the pretext that his intimate friend, Leonora Hughes, dancing partner of Maurice, had been injured. Later it was shown he had signed a request for voluntary confinement until he recovers from a nervous breakdown. He is shown here with his wife, Mrs. Selma Kraus Lewisohn, with whom he dined with J. B. Elwell, the noted whist expert, on the night before Elwell was mysteriously shot to death in his apartment, after leaving them at their hotel.



...wedding romance in a romantic family has been spiked by the denial in New York, by Mrs. George J. Gould, that she is soon to marry George J. Gould, Jr., her stepson. "We are great friends—that is all," said the widow. All the Goulds have married for love. George Gould married Edith Kingdon, a noted theatrical star, against his father's wishes. Six months after she dropped dead while playing golf with him he married beautiful Guinevere Sinclair and later admitted he was the father of her children. Every one of his sons, including George, Jr., who is now divorced, eloped against his wishes.

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

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You are hereby commanded to summon M. F. Parsley by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court for Precinct No. 4, of Limestone County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Mexia, Texas, on the second Tuesday in October, A. D. 1923, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 736, wherein E. C. Nicholson is plaintiff, and M. F. Parsley is defendant, said petition alleging that the defendant is indebted to the plaintiff, in the sum of \$68.56, as a balance due on a verified account, which is long past due and unpaid and that though often requested, defendant has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof, except the sums that have been credited upon the verified account and that by reason for the same, the defendant has become liable to this plaintiff in the further sum of \$20.00, as attorney's fees, and costs of suit. Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that he have judgement for his debt, attorneys fees, and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, both special and general in law and in equity to which he is entitled to receive.

Herein fail not but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand this 11th day of September, A. D. 1923.

O. KENNEDY, J. F.  
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**FOR SALE—75 1/2 acres of land, nine miles southeast Mexia, about 35 acres hog proof, team and tools, 40 head hogs, a few cows. See E. J. Hitt, 1377**

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**WARNING**

"Hollywood" is not an imitation. It is the original motion picture story of Hollywood. The idea of making a picture-story showing the stars and celebrities of the screen in their real surroundings was announced by Paramount in November, 1922. The picture was scheduled to be produced in 1923. Nearly a year was spent in making "Hollywood."

After Paramount's preliminary announcement was made, other companies began the production of pictures in imitation of the "Hollywood" idea. These other pictures were speedily produced and shown to the public before "Hollywood" could be produced.

"Hollywood" is the original picture story of the screen and has a cast of 30 REAL stars and 50 screen celebrities.

It opens at the Grand Theatre tomorrow.

## BARGAIN DAY

### You'll Be Delighted

-With the many attractive lines of merchandise so greatly reduced to be found in our-

## Dollar Day Offerings ==Thursday

#### Pongee

Tomorrow we are offering a beautiful grade of 36 inch all silk pongee, a very pretty quality; well worth the original price of \$1.50 at per yard. **\$1**

#### Cotton Crepe

One lot of 36 inch cotton crepe; very pretty for making undergarments. We will reduce this from 50c per yard and place it out as a special for Dollar Day only at **\$1** 3 yards

#### Quilt Linings

Time to think of quilting. As a special inducement we are offering for Dollar Day one lot of 36 inch quilt linings in an assortment of patterns originally selling at 25c per yard; tomorrow very special at **\$1** 5 yards for

#### Summer Unions

One lot of ladies' summer weight union suits; 50c values; Dollar Day 3 for **\$1**

#### Brown Domestic

A good grade brown domestic, 38-inches wide; reduced and placed on sale Dollar Day at 10 **\$1** yards

#### Outing Flannel

Winter is coming. Children and grown-ups alike will need warm undergarments. Tomorrow we offer a 27-inch good grade outing flannel in assorted colors, 6 yards. **\$1**

#### Table Damask

Do you need a new table cloth? Tomorrow we offer several very pretty pieces of table damask originally selling for 75c per yard at 2 yards for **\$1**

#### Hope Domestic

You know how good Hope domestic is and what it is worth today. Well, tomorrow, just for one day we sell all you want at 6 yards **\$1** for

#### Huck Towels

Huck towels, large size, worth 50c per pair; Dollar Day only **\$1** 6 for

#### Cretonne

One lot of extra good cretonne; a very complete range of colors and patterns. Be sure that you see this offering if you are in need of draperies. This lot is our 35c and 50c grades. Tomorrow we place it on sale at 4 yards **\$1**

#### French Gingham

This is a very pretty lot of French gingham; comes in the desired little checks, stripes, and some of the larger plaids. Regularly selling this grade for 50c per yard. Dollar Day very special at 3 yards **\$1**

#### 32-Inch Gingham

One lot of 32 inch gingham, pretty colors, pretty stripes and plaids. Regularly selling at 20c per yd. Dollar Day special at 8 yards **\$1**

#### Cotton Checks

We offer for Dollar Day one lot of Cotton checks for quilting linings at 10 yards for **\$1**

#### Shirts and Blouses

One lot of boys pongee and striped madras shirts and blouses. Mothers, now is the time to supply that boy with all the blouses and shirts that he will need during the school season at a nice little savings. **\$1** Tomorrow each

#### Bleached Sheeting

We are offering this 9-4 bleached sheeting, a good standard grade; worth 60c in any retail store; Dollar Day very special 2 yds. **\$1**

#### EXTRA SPECIAL \$1

From 10 a. m. to 11 a. m. we will sell 10 yards of 36-in. bleached domestic for **\$1**

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Thursday we place a beautiful lot of Boudoir Caps, made of silk and lace and worth \$1.50 on sale at each **\$1**

#### Petticoats

We have several very attractive sateen petticoats in 1.50 grades which we are placing in this Dollar Day Sale at each **\$1**

#### Window Scrim

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## PIRATES TRAIN SECOND WEEK ON A MUDDY GRIDIRON

Special to The News

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Sept. 19.—A muddy field was the Pirates' portion the beginning of the second week of training for a nine game season, three set-to's of which are with Conference eleven. Gardner has had only one casualty so far. Henry Moore, of Houston, went home for consultation concerning a chronic case of appendicitis. Akin, who underwent Tonsillectomy a few weeks ago is recuperating rapidly, and is expected to report this week. Wetherby and Board, two fast backs from Alexander College team of last year, which won the junior college championship in Texas, reported last Tuesday and are hitting a good pace. Baggett, star full back at Cameron the past four years, and one of the best line plungers seen here, has reported; and two other men from Cameron are expected daily. Rabbit Matter, fast back and hurdler, came in last Thursday. Royal is being groomed for the quarter position, along with Wetherby and these two men ought to make a fine pair of generals. Dixon is flashing a lot of speed, as is Gunn, the crack San Antonio player. Lyons and Irvine are being gotten into form for punting. Irvine is already punting 45 and 50 yards every boot, and with a year's experience should develop into a valuable man. With bright prospects reported by every team on the Pirate card, Gardner will have a job ahead all season keeping his men in fighting trim. No chances are being taken and no over-confidence will be allowed.

## This Fortune Teller Told The Truth

BERLIN (By mail to United Press.)—The little, old, dark-skinned fortune teller who, for more than ten years, has been telling all comers that some day they would be millionaires, can now say: "I told you so." He was right. Every guest who showed his or her palm to this particular Unter der Linden seer was told without a long preliminary preamble: "Some day—and not long off—you will be a millionaire." And most everybody scoffed. Today every German who entered the mystic portals of this fortune teller's shrine during the last decade must admit it all came out as predicted. They are all millionaires, several times over, but—Who wants to be a millionaire in marks?

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## Balkan War Scare Again In Sight

PARIS, Sept. 18.—A renewed threat of a Balkan war is seen in the action of Italy appointing General Giardino as virtual military dictator of Fiume following the resignation of the regent. Dispatches from Belgrade said the Italian action has aroused intense suspicion. It is reported that Jugoslavia has mobilized four divisions on the Bulgarian frontier. Jugoslav is planning a blockade of Fiume and Bulgaria claims that invasion of Bulgarian territory is threatened.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon M. F. Parsley by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court for Precinct No. 4, of Limestone County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Mexia, Texas, on the second Tuesday in October, A. D. 1923, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 736, wherein E. C. Nicholson is plaintiff, and M. F. Parsley is defendant, said petition alleging that the defendant is indebted to the plaintiff, in the sum of \$68.55, as a balance due on a verified account, which is long past due and unpaid and that though often requested, defendant has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof, except the sums that have been credited upon the verified account and that by reason for the same, the plaintiff has become liable to this plaintiff in the further sum of \$20.00, as attorney's fees, and costs of suit. Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that he have judgement for his debt, attorneys fees and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, both special and general in law and in equity to which he is entitled to receive.

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### "LIGHTNIN" IS COMING

Heralded these many months by playgoers who surrendered to its mingled fun and heart throbs during its record-smashing runs in New York and Chicago, "Lightnin'" will be a welcome visitor to the Opera House, Sat., September 29.

The mere announcement that it is one of John Golden's plays would carry strong assurance of its wholesomeness and all 'round merit, but Lightnin' has fame that precedes it wherever the English language is spoken and its coming to the more distant cities has been awaited with interest to be compared only with the enthusiasm that attended the early visits of "Ben Hur," "The Old Homestead," "The Music Master," and a few other beloved classics of the stage. Mr. Golden's other successes, "Turn to the Right," "Three Wise Fools," and "Dear Me" are well remembered by local theatre-goers and many were also fortunate enough to see "The First Year," "Thank-U," and "The Seventh Heaven" during the past two years in New York and Chicago. No producer has had his name linked with a stronger group of successes.

Winchell Smith, who wrote Lightnin' in collaboration with Frank Bacon, staged the production to be seen here and the cast is a special one, headed by Thomas Jefferson, son of the late Joseph Jefferson, and organized for a tour of the important cities, including Detroit, Kansas City, St. Louis, Dallas, Houston, and a few of the "high spots" in the Southwest.

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## Fluellen Has Not Yet Been Caught

Complaint was filed in Osborne Kennedy's court late Tuesday charging Claud Fluellen with shooting to death Lee Overstreet, in the Bowie hotel Monday night. Chief of Police A. Thompson states that the landlady at the rooming house told him that when Overstreet was shot that Fluellen threw up his hands, began crying and said that he had shot the wrong man. He hastily left and blood oozed from Groesbeck were put on his trail by Sheriff Whit Popejoy. It was said that he went northwest about a mile, got in a car, came back to own and then took a service car to Thornton, asking about the Houston round train. The officers have not yet apprehended him. They have evidence leading them to believe that he went in another direction from that at which the first information pointed.

Chief Thompson states that Overstreet was waiting in an automobile in front of the Bowie hotel, when he grew impatient and went upstairs to see what was detaining his companions from the humble camp near Groesbeck. An argument was in progress when he reached the top of the stairs. Overstreet was in line with the bullet said to have been fired by Fluellen.

### DAILY NEWS CHOSEN AS BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM

The Mexia Daily News has been chosen as the best advertising medium in this part of the country to carry the big announcement of Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, producers of Paramount Pictures.

Famous Players is known as one of the biggest national advertisers in the country. In announcing their fall season, they took newspaper space in 3,500 publications all over the United States to spread their message for better motion pictures. The Mexia Daily News was chosen for this section.

This issue of The News contains the announcement and the unique arrangements with this concern made by H. G. McNeese of the Grand Theatre, Mexia.

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## THE TEAR

By SADIE KIRGAN

There came a little tear one time  
To nestle in my eye,  
And yet my world had all been rose  
Without a hurt or sigh.

And so unto the tear I said,  
"Why is it you are here?"  
It answered gently, "I have come  
To make life more sincere."

What a wonderful bird is the pelican,  
His beak holds more than his  
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He stretches out his neck  
And rakes in about a peck,  
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## Leonard-Dundee Fight Called Off

By HENRY L. FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Once prosperous and thriving, the fist firm of Leiner and Carrara has been dissolved. The parting of the ways for the two enterprising young business men came in the announcement from promoter Jimmy Johnston that the Leonard-Dundee fight, which he postponed from September 5, to September 28, had been called off for good.

Customers were so few in buying tickets for the ninth meeting between the ring merchants that the contract had to be torn up. Neither one of the business men wanted to work unless there were plenty of customers there. New York apparently has become fed upon championship fights this summer and as another Leonard-Dundee meeting offered no novelty, the customers stayed away.

Johnson said he might match the pair next summer when the customers may have forgotten that the firm has been in business so long.

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- 50c Ralls Freckle Crm 35c
- 35c Luxor Cold Cream in tubes 25c
- 35c Melba Cold Cream in tubes 25c
- 75c Howard Buttermilk Cold Cream in tubes 50c
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- 50c Velvetina Face Pwd 40c
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- 60c Melba Face Powder 45c
- \$1.25 Mary Garden 1.00
- 60c Java Rice Face Pwd 50c
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- 60c Swamp Root 50c
- \$1.20 Swamp Root 95c
- \$1.25 Mother's Friend \$1.00
- 65c Nujol 50c
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- 70c Sloans Liniment 60c
- 60c Mentho Sulphur 50c
- \$1.00 Squibbs Mineral Oil 90c
- 60c Scotts Emulsion 50c
- \$1.20 Scotts Emulsion 95c
- 40c Castoria 35c
- \$1.00 Wine of Cardui 90c
- \$1.10 Tanlac 90c
- 30c Phillips Milk of Magnesia 25c
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- 35c Wizard Oil 30c
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- 35c Danderine Hair Tonic 30c
- 60c Danderine Hair Tonic 50c
- 30c Packers Tar Soap 25c
- 25c Lavis 20c
- 50c Lavis 40c
- 35c Mennens Shaving Crm 30c
- 25c Bayers Aspirin, 12 15c
- 50c Bayers Aspirin, 24 35c
- \$1.50 Bayers Aspirin, 100 \$1.00
- 30c Lysol 25c
- 60c Lysol 45c
- 30c Listerine 25c
- 60c Listerine 50c
- 35c Palm Olive Shaving Cream 30c
- 30c Lyons Tooth Paste 25c
- 30c Cuticura Soap 25c
- 30c Resinol Soap 25c
- 30c P. D. Co. Germicidal Soap 2% 25c

No Charges  
No Deliveries

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